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POLICE FORCE,
(DETECTIVE BRANCH.)

Shanghai Municipal Council.

May 11th

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Sir,
It is reported that the rebels in Frenchtown intend to apply to the French Municipal Council for permission to raise a Volunteer Corps. This will be ostensibly for the same purposes as the Volunteer Corps in the Settlement but in reality will be used for training rebels to the use of arms.

It is reported that Sun Yat Sen sent telegrams to Yunnan, Canton, Szechuen and Chekiang yesterday urging these provinces to unite and offering to assist them in any way he can.

It is reported that mines are placed in the sea outside Woosung during the night time to protect the forts from an attack by sea.

It is reported that General Lu Yung Ziang intends to resign soon, as his troops are getting out of hand and he fears that they will murder him.

Your Obedient Servant,

Wm. H. M. S. T. S.

Chief Detective Inspector.

Captain Superintendent of Police.

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